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March 9, 2010

Vicky McKee
Daggett County
95 North 100 West
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Manila, Utah 84046

Subject: Deficient Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Daggett County, Daggett County Clay Pit, S/009/0004, Daggett County, Utah

Dear Ms. McKee:

The Division has reviewed the referenced Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (NOI), and the following items will need to be addressed before the NOI can be determined complete:

1. Page 3, #7 – Check either Yes or No
2. Page 4, #1 – Enter Quad Map name, probably “Manila”
3. Page 4, #3 – Enter an estimate of the annual amount of material that will be mined.
4. Page 6, #V - Check either Yes or No
5. Map – The map is incomplete; please add a scale and a north arrow

Please provide your response as replacement pages to your original NOI, using Form MR-REV-SMO/EXP, available on the Division's web site at www.ogm.utah.gov

The reclamation surety is determined to be \$12,000. This was determined based on:

Small Mine Operation Bond Calculation Worksheet S/009/0004			
5-year escalation (2014)			
Item	Qty	Unit Cost	Total Cost
1st Acre Disturbance	1	\$7,600.00	\$7,600.00
Add'l Acres Disturbance	1	\$4,400.00	\$4,400.00
TOTAL			\$12,000.00



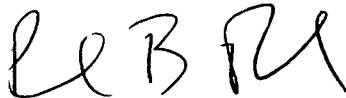
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The reclamation surety can be submitted in one of several forms, including a PTIF, an irrevocable letter of credit, a certificate of deposit, cash or a surety bond. Please contact Penny Berry at (801) 538-5291 or e-mail bondcoordinator@utah.gov for assistance in completing this requirement.

As requested please find attached a seed mix recommended for reclamation.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please call me at 801-538-5261 or Leslie Heppler at 801-538-5257. In reply, please refer to file number S/009/0004. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'P B Baker', written in a cursive style.

Paul B. Baker
Minerals Program Manager

PBB:lah:pb

cc: jblake@utah.gov

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Recommended Revegetation Species List
for

Daggett County
Daggett County Clay Pit
S/009/0004

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Species Name</u>	<u>*Rate lbs/ac (PLS)</u>
Western wheatgrass	<u>Agropyron smithii</u>	2.0
Intermediate Wheatgrass	<u>Agropyron intermedium</u>	1.5
Russian wildrye	<u>Elymus junceus</u>	2.0
Yellow sweetclover	<u>Melilotus officinalis</u>	0.5
Small Burnett	<u>Sanguisorba minor</u>	1.0
Total Seed		7 lbs/ac